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(Small Entity)

Docket No.  
Kosciuk-1

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Submitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

For: **PERSONAL COMPUTER AUDIO INTERFACE DEVICE AND METHOD OF USING THE SAME**

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Title: Personal Computer Audio Interface Device And Method Of Using The Same

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